



Audrey Gibson

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State Representative Audrey Gibson Appointed State Director of Women in Government

JACKSONVILLE, FL – State Representative Audrey Gibson (D-Jacksonville) has been appointed to serve as State Director of Women in Government (WIG), a national, non-profit, bipartisan organization of women state legislators.

As State Director, Representative Gibson will serve a two-year term beginning immediately and ending December 2011.

“I am honored to be appointed as WIG’s State Director in Florida,” said Representative Gibson. “As such, I will work with the organization to identify key issues in Florida as a framework for regional and national discussions. I will also assist in disseminating information about WIG’s programs and encourage my colleagues to become involved in the organization.”

Women In Government serves all of the approximately 1,700 female state legislators in the United States. Over 600 legislators actively participate in WIG’s meetings, summits and task forces. Participants are provided full legislative scholarships, giving all women state legislators in each of the 50 states equal opportunity to participate in the organization's events. WIG educates state legislators on a broad range of topics, from healthcare and education to energy and economic development. State Directors meet in January of each year to provide program guidance to the organization and input to the board of directors.

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